## Fargo Police Department

Policy Manual

## **Supervision Staffing Levels**

## 206.1 PURPOSE AND SCOPE

The purpose of this policy is to ensure that proper supervision is available to meet the operational requirements of all shifts. The Department intends to balance the needs of the employee against its duty and inherent managerial right to flexibility and discretion in assigning personnel to meet operational needs. While balance is desirable, the paramount concern is to meet the operational requirements of the Department.

## 206.2 MINIMUM STAFFING LEVELS

Minimum staffing levels should result in the scheduling of two Field Services Supervisors onduty whenever possible. A Field Services Command Officer will ensure that at least one field supervisor is deployed during each shift.